

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

Abstract

PUBLIC SERVICES –Archeology & Museums - Allegation of corruption against the officials of Archaeology and Museums Department – Initiation of Departmental Proceedings under rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991- Charges framed - Explanation submitted – Inquiry conduct – In respect of Dr. B. Subramanyam, AD(T) (Retd.) and Sri K. Raghunath, AD(T), O/o ASP, Govt. Museum & RI (Retd.), Kakinada - Exonerate the Charged Officers from the charges - Drop further action against both of them - Orders – Issued.

YOUTH ADVANCEMENT, TOURISM AND CULTURE (VIG) DEPARTMENT

G. O. Rt. No. 517

Dt.03 -07-2013.
Read the following:

- Ref:-1. From the DG, ACB, Hyd. Lr. Rc. No.99/RE-CR.1/99, dt.3.3.2004.
2. U.O. No. 674/SC.D/A3/2004-27, dt.20.11.2004.
3. U.O. No. 674/SC.D/A3/2004-27, dt 10.5.2005.
4. Govt.Memo.No.446/Vig/2002-24,dated 2-11-2005.
5. From the Director, A&M, Hyd. Lr.Rc.No.A2/2974/99-1 to 5, dated 23.12.2005.
6. From the Dir., A&M, Hyd.Lr.Rc.No.A2/2974/99, dt. 6.7.2006 And 29.5.2007.
7. Govt.Memo.No.446/Vig/2002,dated 15.12.2011.
8. From the Director, A&M, Hyd.Lr.Rc.No.A2/2974/99,dt. 26.12.2011.

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ORDER:

Whereas the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, AP, Hyderabad has conducted regular enquiry into the allegations leveled against Sri V. Sarma Rao, IAS, formerly Commissioner of Archaeology & Museums, Hyderabad and submitted inquiry report. Based on the report, Govt. have requested the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, AP, Hyderabad to furnish draft article of charges for framing charges against Sri V. Sarma Rao, IAS and other Accused Officers, beside filing a criminal case against M/s Suram Business Solutions, Hyd. as it made good with the advance of Rs. 5.00 lakhs without executing the work

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the General Administration (SC.D) Department while enclosing the draft articles of charges furnished by the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, AP, Hyderabad in respect of officials of Archaeology & Museums Department has requested to frame charges against the Accused Officers, obtain the Written Statement of Defense and then to refer the file to General Administration (SC.D) Department for conducting common inquiry by appointing same inquiry authority against the officials of Archaeology & Museums Department including Sri V. Sharma Rao, IAS, formerly Commissioner, Archaeology & Museums Hyd.

3. In the reference 5th read above the Director, Archaeology & Museums, Hyderabad has served the article of charges framed against the following officials:

- 1.Sri Ch. Suryanarayana Murthy, Asst. Director (Admn.)
O/o the Commr., A&M Dept., AP, Hyd.
- 2.Dr. B. Subramanyam, Asst. Director)Technical)
O/o the Commr., A&M Dept., AP, Hyd.
3. Sri Syed Arif Ali, Head Draughtsman
O/o the Commr., A&M Dept., AP, Hyd.
4. Sri S. Koteswaran, Conservation Asst.
O/o the Asst Director, A&M Dept., Vijayawada.

5. Sri K. Raghunath, Asst. Director (Technical)
O/o A.S.P Govt. Museum & R.I, Kakinada.

4. In the reference 6th read above, the Director, Archaeology & Museums, Hyderabad has forwarded Explanations of the Charged Officers i.e. Dr. B. Subramanyam, AD(T) (Retd.) and Sri K. Raghunath, AD(T), O/o ASP, Govt. Museum & RI (Retd.), Kakinada for further action in the matter.

5. In the reference 7th read above, Government permitted the Director, Archeology & Museums, Hyderabad “ to constitute a Committee consisting of three (3) Deputy Directors to entrust the Disciplinary case against the said Charged Officers

6. Government have examined the findings submitted by the Committee constituted for Inquiry and after consideration, hereby exonerate and drop further action against in respect of Dr. B. Subramanyam, AD(T) (Retd.) and Sri K. Raghunath, AD(T), O/o ASP, Govt. Museum & RI (Retd.), Kakinada in the matter.

7. The Director of Archeology and Museums, Hyderabad shall take further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDRE AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**CHANDANA KHAN,
SPL. CHIEF SECRETRY TO GOVERNMENT.**

To

1. Sri Dr. B. Subramanyam, AD (T) (Retd.)
O/o the Commissioner, A&M Dept., AP, Hyd ,
through the Director of Archeology and Museums, AP, Hyd

2. Sri K. Raghunath, AD(T), O/o ASP, Govt. Museum & RI (Retd.),
Kakinada **through** the Director of Archeology and Museums, AP, Hyd

The Director, Archeology and Museums, Hyderabad

Copy to:- The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, AP, Hyderabad.
The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner, A.PVC, Hyderabad.
The General Administration (SC.D) Department.
(w.r.t. D.O. Lr. No. 6741/A1/99-35, dt.12.11.2012.
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